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# THE CUMBERLAND NURSERIES

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Dear Friend:--

We have had the most difficult winter in which to handle trees, for work of digging and shipping has been practically impossible since the middle of December except for the last week when we got in six full days on the outside.

There seems to be in different parts of the country a good active demand for trees. We are daily writing up a nice lot of business, and I believe we shall be able to develop our customers car for

Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, West Virginia

to meet at some central distributing point. In the fall our stock is bulk at Moorestown, N.J., the transportation of the weight being within that state. Our prices are as follows;

	5-7ft	4-6ft	4-5ft	3-4ft	
Apple 2 1/2"	\$350.00	\$250.00	\$200.00		per 1000
Apple 1 1/2"			\$200.00	\$150.00	" "
		4-6ft	3 1/2-5ft	3-4ft	
Pear		\$250.00	\$175.00	\$150.00	" "
Pear, plum, apricot		250.00		150.00	" "
Cherry			350.00	250.00	

All of our stock thus far has passed the winter out of doors in the open field in prima condition, although we have had some zero weather. I have not found anything on the nursery that seems to have suffered damage from the cold still we had immediately after Christmas, it was about the worst weather that we have had in several years.

I am sure to soon feel that we are in for a really early spring and we will be able to move as far in advance as possible toward the spring part of our business and get it all worked out and on the way. Development of a car for you district of course depends upon cooperation, we have had this in full measure in the past and have no reason to believe that we will have a continuance of such cooperation, therefore we look forward with special interest to your favors.

Yours very truly



